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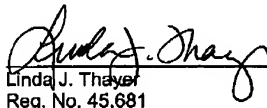
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Heinz PAULY, et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2162
Application No.: 09/937,707)	Examiner: Jean M. CORRIELUS
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For: METHOD FOR DATA)	Mail Stop AF
MAINTENANCE IN A NETWORK)	
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DATABASE SYSTEMS)	

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Advisory Action mailed December 2, 2004, and pursuant to
37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks follow the amendments section and begin on page 13 of this paper.